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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicants: Germano Caronni et al.

Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DEVICE LOCATION
SENSITIVE DATA ROUTING

Serial No.: 09/737,193 Filed: December 13, 2000

Examiner: Contee, Joy Group Art
Kimberly Unit: 2686

Docket No.: P-5600

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2006 in the above application:

1. Return Receipt Postcard;
2. Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
3. Amendment (23 pages).

☒ No additional claims fees are required.

Transmittal Letter
Serial No. 09/737,19



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February 9, 2006

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	48	- 48	= 0	x \$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3	= 0	x \$86.00	\$ 0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$290)					0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
Subtotal					\$ 0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)					0.00
TOTAL					\$ 0.00

A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is enclosed.

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicants hereby petition for such an extension of time.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on February 9, 2006.

Attorney for Applicant(s)

February 9, 2006
Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

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Reply to Office Action of January 18, 2006

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2006,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

1. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the
listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper;
and
2. Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.